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IN THE APPLICATION OF:

CONFIRMATION NO. 6645

SHEAU-HWA MA ET. AL.

CASE NO.: FA106ZUSNA

SERIAL NO.: 10/696,088

GROUP ART UNIT: 1713

FILED: OCTOBER 29, 2003

EXAMINER: SASTRI, SATYA B.

FOR: COATING COMPOSITION CONTAINING ACID FUNCTIONAL ACRYLIC
COPOLYMER AND SILICA

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Introductory Comments

The following response is being submitted in view of the Office Action mailed on October 23, 2006. Claim 1-23 and 25-27 were rejected. Petition to extend the time to respond to the Office Action by three months accompanies this Response

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6.